



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appln. No. 10/685,274

Applicant: Albert L. Schmidt

Filed: October 14, 2003

TC/AU:

Examiner:

Docket No. ST-0107-D

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D. C.

DECLARATION

I, ALBERT L. SCHMIDT, state that I was born on April 26, 1928, in the ~~the~~ village of Stratford, Wisconsin.

Accordingly, being presently over the age of 65, I provide this information for the purpose of filing herein a Petition to Make Special so that this application might receive an immediate action on the merits.

Albert L. Schmidt
ALBERT L. SCHMIDT

Dated: Dec-8, 2003.